# City of Alexandria Development Fact Sheet

Old Town / King Street Retail Strategy

# **912-920 King Street** DSUP2019-0032

### PROJECT DESCRIPTION

A Development Special Use Permit (DSUP) has been requested to construct a four-story building with 30 multifamily dwelling units and ground-floor retail on King Street.

The site is the location of a current City-owned parking lot that is under contract for redevelopment from Galena Properties after an RFP process.

- The proposal features a 10-foot-wide publicly accessible pedestrian alley directly to the east of the building
- Residential units are on the upper floors and will feature rooftop open space
- The ground floor of the rear building will feature flexible units that can serve as small business spaces or residential units
- Parking spaces are provided in the 116 S.
   Henry Street project across Patrick Street
- The project is located within the Old and Historic Alexandria District and subject to review by the BAR

### **KEY ISSUES**

- Scale, massing and relation of the proposed building to the adjacent blockface
- Design at the ground level, including the retail storefronts, pedestrian alley and flexible "live-work" units
- Consistency with the proposal submitted to the City as part of the RFP for the parking lot site



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Site Address: 912-920 King Street

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Lot Area: 0.35 acres (15,050 SF)

Zone: KR (King Street Urban Retail) Small Area Plan: Old Town / King Street Retail Strategy		Current Use(s): Parking lot Proposed Use(s): Multifamily residential and retail	
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Parking	28-32 spaces for residential parking Retail spaces exempt from requirement	Required spaces provided at 116 S. Henry St. site
Open Space	4,500 square feet (based on 30 residential units)	<b>4,502 square feet</b> Including 764 square feet at ground level
Height	50 feet	50 feet

#### Requested Zoning Modifications and Special Use Permits (SUPs):

- 1. SUP for increase in floor area up to 2.5 in KR Zone
- 2. SUP for a parking reduction to allow for off-site parking
- 3. SUP for a modification to the loading requirements
- 4. Modification to canopy coverage requirement

#### PROJECT TIMELINE

- > **Spring 2020.** BAR Concept Review.
- April 2020. Second Completeness review pending.
- September 2020. Project is presented to Planning Commission and City Council (tentative).

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